



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

ATTY.'S DOCKET: FOURNIER=1

In re Application of: ) Art Unit: 2192  
Laurent FOURNIER )  
Appln. No.: 09/927,457 ) Examiner: C. O. Kendall  
Filed: August 13, 2001 ) Washington, D.C.  
For: A TOOL FOR IMPLEMENTING ) Confirmation No. 4159  
FLOATING POINT RELATED )  
APPLICATION USING... ) September 22, 2005

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

**Customer Window, Mail Stop Amendments**  
Randolph Building  
401 Dulany Street  
Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

Replying to the Office Action mailed May 23, 2005,  
please amend as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of  
claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 18 of this paper.